CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.

GHRIST CHURCH—Services at 11 a. m. and 74 p. m., by Rev. R. H. McKim. St. PAUL'S CHURCH-Service at 11 a.

by Rev. Dr. Norton,
GRACE CHURCH—Services at 11 a. m. and 72 p. m., by Rev. D. F. Sprigg. St. Mary's Church—Mass at 7 and 11 a. m.

Vespers at 4 p. m. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Service in the morning and at night by Rev. Mr. Parkin-SECOND PRESETTERIAN CHURCH-Service in

the morning and at night, by Rev. Dr. Bullock.
METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Sermon in the morning and at night, by Rev. J. S. Beyer. METH. EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH-Sermon in the morning by Rev. Mr. Busey, and at night by Rev. Mr. Beall.

by Rev. Mr. Bean.
METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sermon in the morning by Rev. S. G. Valliant. Quarterly Love Feast at night.
BAPTIST CHURCH-Service in the morning

and at night, by Rev. S H. Mirick, GERMAN LUTHERAN-Reading service in the

morning. No service at night,

morning. No service at night.

VILLAGE CHAPEL—Sermon at 11 a.m., by Rev. Mr. Beall Sabbath School at 3 p.m., services conducted by Rev. Mr. Busey.

Y. M. C. A.—Prayer meeting in the M. E. Church, at four o'clock p. m.; Alms House services at 2 p. m.; jail services at 2 p. m. Sunday School at the corner of King and West streets at 22 p. m. Prayer meeting in the room over S. Green's store, corner of King and room over S. Gregg's store, corner of King and Payne streets, at 51 p. m. Daily prayer meeting at 5 p. m. in the room of the Association. Prayer Meeting every Friday evening at the corner of King and West streets.

LOCAL NEWS.

FOURTH WARD RADICALS .- An adjourned meeting of the 4th Ward Radical Club was held last night at the colored Odd Fellows Hall on south Columbus street, John A. Seaton in the chair and T. B. Pinu secretary pro tem. The chairman stated that the meeting was called for the purpose of selecting candidates for the Board of Aldermen and Common Council and delegates to a convention to be held, to nominate a caudidate for Mayor, and that as a quorum was present the chair was ready to hear any nominations.

At this point the secretary, A. W. Harris, entered the room, and, taking his position, on motion, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved with slight alterations. The committee who had been appointed to

wait on the pastors of the different colored churches in the city to ask them to announce that the election was approaching and to stir the members up to their duty, stated that they had no report to make as yet.

A motion was then made and carried to make nominations for candidates.

After a short debate the motion was reconsidered and a committee, consisting of Win. Miller, Charles Scales and Lawis Hurley, was appointed to report the names of suitable candidates for the different offices. When the name of Lewis Hurley was mentioned as one of the committee, one of the members exclaimed,

A motion was made that-Thompson address the meeting during the absence of the committee, but that individual said he was not prepared to make a speech, but he hoped all the party would come up on election day and vote for the candidates nominated, and if they did they could earry their point and would do it. He hoped they would excuse him from making any extended remarks.

On motion of T. B. Pinu, the delegates to be appointed at the ward meetings were requested to meet at the colored Odd Fellows Hall on Wednesday evening, May 14th, at 8 didate for Mayor.

- Windsor was then called on to address the meeting. He made a few remarks requesting the Republicans to stick fast to the candidates nominated.

The committee on candidates having returned, reported the following: R. T. Lucas, Rev. Robert Robinson, James Claggett, (now a member of the Council), Paul R. Evans, (also a member of the present Council) for Common Council; for Board of Aldermen, John Hawxhurst; for Magistrate, O. C. Whittlesey; for Constable, James T. Bur ett.

A ballot being taken R. T. Lucas was unanimously nominated.

When the name of Rev. Robert Robinson was called, quite a debate arose as to his being a citizen of Alexandria, which was taken part in by nearly all the members present. The chairman was in favor of him, but the majority were against him, as his Republicanism was doubted, and he was defeated, and the name of Edward Hughes was offered; but Charles Seales opposed him bitterly, and suid he was heart and hand with the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, and had he never seen him doing anything for the ward in the way of street improvements, &c., but when the whiskey bill and the Penusylvania Central Railroad were mentioned he was up in arms to defend them.

Edward Hughes defended himself from the onslaught made by Seales, and stated that in regard to the "whiskey bill," he thought it was the business of the Council to attend to the making of laws, and he did not approve of the course of the Mayor in taking the law in his own hands.

After considerable debate T. B. Pinn thought that it would be well to send Charles Seales to the Council, as it might be that he could have all the streets and pavements repaired in the 4th Ward, and do great wonders in Council. Edward Hughes was then unanimously nomi-

The name of James Claggett was then put before the meeting. Charles Seales said he was opposed to him, and opened a tirade against him. As far as he was concerned he was no aspirant for office. All he wanted was to keep off the chain gang and make an honest living if he could. James Claggett was unanimously nominated.

Paul R. Evans was then put in nomination. T. B. Pinn was in favor of dividing the offices between the races, and he thought that J. W. Beckley was a suitable person. J. A. Scaton left the chair and moved that

the meeting proceede to an election. A. W. Harris said he did not like to be the one to draw a line between the races, but he

was opposed to giving all the offices to the Caucasian race. John Scaton said that P. R. Evans could do more in the Council than any of the men they

could name, and hoped they would support T. B. Pinn made a speech in favor of J. W.

Beckley.

A. W. Harris said if the colored men did not elevate their own race they could not expeet the Caucasian race to do so, and he hopfill the place of P. R. Evans. Wm. Miller thought that the colored race

could not make anything by fighting and scratch- 10 coops, horses 2, cows 2, calves 110, wood 4 ing. The best way was to compromise and get | cars. along peacebly, and not be at logger-heads all the time.

J. A. Seaton said that he was not in favor of making this a family ring to please T. B. Pinn, but thought that P. R. Evans was the most suitable man to represent them in Council, and hoped they would see fit to elect him. T. B. Pinn said for heaven sake don't let the Seatons talk about family rings; Mr. Seaton should put his hand over his mouth, and hethe speaker-wanted it understood that J. W. Beckley was his brother-in-law, and not a renegade, as Seaton had stated. During his remark, several of the members went to sleep and three of them. - Washington Chronicle. many got very drowsy, judging from the amount of yawning and snoring. He was called to or-

A discussion then arose as to the voting of minors and those who were not registered. After much debate P. R. Evans was defeat-

ed, and quite a disturbance was raised. J. A. Seaton then resumed the chair and moved that the vote be taken over, and this added to the fuss between the Becklevites and Evansites. After quiet was restored a motion was made to go into nomination for a man to fill the place of P. R. Evans.

Wm. Miller quoted scripture to the members, and hoped that T. B. Pinn would not give so much trouble to the meeting.

P. R. Evans was then nominated. The name of John Hawxhurst as candidate for the Board of Aldermen was received with great dissatisfaction, and laid on the table almost unanimously, and the name of J. P. Agnew was proposed.

T. B. Pinn said that Mr. Agnewdid not vote for a colored man for policeman, when he was in Council, after this party had put him there, but J. B. Smoot did, and he was opposed to bim, as he was a Conservative.

Chas. Seales was in favor of Mr. Agnew. A vote was then taken and J. C. Underwood was nominated.

O. C. Whittlesey was nominated for magis-

J. T. Burnett was named for constable, but his nomination was laid on the table, and J.W. White was nominated for the position on motion of J. W. Scaton, who said that he probably could give the required bond. The following delegates was elected to ren-

resent the Ward in the Convention to nominate a candidate for Mayor: James Claggett, T. B. Pinn, J. A. Seaton, D. F. Chinn, Edward Hughes, Lewis Baltimore, R. T. Lucas and W. B. Claggett.

On motion the chair appointed four alternates, viz: Chas. Seales, A. W. Harris, C. Brown, and Lewis Hurley.

- Ruffner then addressed the few who had remained until that time-nearly twelve o'clock -and during his remarks those few took their departure. Not more than thirty-five were present at any time, and of these but R. T. Lucas, Edward Hughes, two policemen and the reporter for the Gazette were white.

REMARKABLE OCCURRENCE. - One of the strangest incidents in this eventful age occurred in this city this morning and has been the town talk ever since it was known. About nine o'clock this morning a nicely dressed and good looking young woman, entered the market square, and after looking about for a while, approached a colored market woman from Maryland, named Nancy Simus, commenced a conversation with her, and in a short time asked her if she ever drank anything. Nancy responding that she did take her bitters sometimes, the stranger said she felt very weak and told Nancy if she would show her a place near by where a drink could be obtained she would take one and give her one too. Nancy agreeing to the proposition, the stranger gave her a small bundle, apparently containing fresh meat, asking her to lay it in one of her baskets until they returned, and the r. quest being complied with, they went to the grocery store of Thomas Downey, corner of Cameron and Fairfax streets, and each took a glass of ten cent whiskey, the people in the store looking rather surprised at the sight of such a nice looking woman drinking in that way. After the drink had been taken, the stranger told Nancy to wait there for her, stating that she was going to her wagon and that when she returned she would give her two pairs of shad. Nancy waited, but in vain. went back to her stand in gent and, notwithstanding the inclemency of the the market square, and the stranger not returning, and it becoming that for her to be go ing home, she looked into the bundle to see what it was so that she might leave it somewhere for the owner, but what was her surcrise and horror when she discovered that what she had taken for butcher's meat was a still born child, between five and six months old; It was wrapped in old newspapers, which stuck to it, and had apparently been born but a few hours. The news soon spread, and in a short time not only the whole market, but the whole city was full of it, the various accounts being exaggerated in the usual way. The foctus was taken to the station house, from whence it was afterwards taken to Dr. Adams' office and examined and then buried, and the police at once instituted a search for the supposed mother, who, it is said, took the 9:53 train for Washington. She is described as young, stout and handsome, and as having worn a short dress, of dark material, made in the latest style, and as wearing gold bracelets.

DEATH OF EDWARD SWANN, Esq. -Mr. Edward Swann, well-known in this city as a member of the bar, died this morning at his residence, in Mt. Pleasant, north of the city, after a sickness of several months. Mr. Swann was about 61 or 62 years of age, and was born in or near Alexandria, Va. He was educated at the well-known Alexandria academy, then kept by Mr. Benjamin Hallowell. We believe that he studied law with his father, and was admitted the Half-way Tree—the narrowest part of the to the bar of this District November 28th, 1837, and for many years followed his profession in partnership with his brother, here, the firm enjoying a good run of practice. Mr. Swann was a hard working lawyer, and but few were more devoted to the interests of his clients than he. His funeral will take place from his late residence on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. and the bar association will meet at 486 Louisiana avenue, at I o'clock on that day, to pro-ceed to his residence. Rev. T. M. Addison, of Trinity church, will officiate, and Messrs. W. B. Webb, Walter S. Cox, J. F. Ennis, Joseph H. Bradley, jr., S. S. Henkle, and F. W. Jones will act as pall-bearers. The remains will be buried at the old family ground at Preston, near Alexandria. - Wash. Star.

RECEIPTS BY RAILROAD. -The following are the receipts by the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R. for this week: -- Corn 3395 bushels, wheat 1225, rye 125, mill offal 620, corn meal 175, potatoes 285, dried fruit 10, pears 1 bag, onions 1 bag, flour 402 bbls, rye flour 5 bbls, bacon 1075 ibs, beer 24 kegs, roots 4 sacks, butter 4 firkins, eggs 26 bbls and boxes, lard 3 firkins, tobacco 5 boxes, lime 100 bbls, whiskey 5 bbls, leather 36 rolls, blooms 20.975 lbs, pig iron 16050, fowls 2 coops, bees wax 2 bbls, feathers 2 sacks, hides 60 bundles and 1 bale, calves 74 head, copper, lead and brass 337 lbs, sheep skins 365. wood 5 cords, stone ware 91 pieces, metal 346 lbs, casks 141, rags 2660 lbs, iron 45,745 lbs, lumber 42,000 feet, wool 3 sacks, bricks 7 cars,

staves 1, hoops 2, cattle and sheep 9. The following are the receipts by the W. & O. R. R.:—Wheat 364 bushels, corn 1314, feed 50, meal 342, oats 14, flour 88 bbls, eggs 63 ed they would select a suitable colored man to bbls and boxes, butter 24 bbls and firkins, vine gar 3 bbls, hay 44 bales, rags 36, hides 2, o'd iron and bones 5368 lbs, casting 400 lbs, fowls

> ARREST OF BURGLARS. -The detectives ye :terday caused the arrest of Pete Parker and Monk Moldin, two well-known colored roughs, on suspicion of being implicated in the attempted robbery of the house of William S. Tucker, on Thursday evening last, and the subsequent dangerous assault with a stone on his son, John A. Tucker. This makes five parties already arrested-Sam. Rainey. Bowie Williams and Ed. Howard having been captured on Thursday evening-and there seems to be no doubt that the deed can be fastened on at least

THE FISHERY. - Since yesterday's report the der by the Chairman, but contended he had receipts of fresh fish at Fishtown have been win, 30 and 41 King street, Alexandria, Va. the privilege of refuting the charges that had been made against him.

Further discussion was ruled out of order by the chair, and a vote was taken for or against hie, and a second vote resulted the same way.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORTS.-The following is a synopsis of the reports made to me by the teachers of public schools for the month of

White Schools. - On the rolls 375; boys 250, girls 125. Average attendance 335; boys 229, giris 106. Percentage of attendance 89; male schools 92, female schools 85. Average age of pupils 10.7. Entered 28; boys 14, girls 14. Dropped 16; boy: 14, girls 2.

Colored Schools.-On the rolls 221; boys 108, girls 113. Average attendance 200; boys 94, girls 95. Percentage of attendance 87; male schools 88, female schools 85. Average age of pupils 11.4. Entered 26; boys 10, girls Dropped 15; boys 8, girls 7.

The best attendance in white schools was in Washington School, No. 1, taught by Theodore H. Ficklin, 96 per cent.; the best in colored schools that in Snowden School, No. 3, taught by Miss Carrie Claggett.

RICHARD L. CARNE. City Superintendent. St. John's Academy, May 3rd, 1873.

MEETING OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT. -A meeting of the Alexandria Fire Department, was held in the hall of the Columbia Engine Company last night, B. Barton, President of he Hydraulion in the Chair and D. L. Smoot, President of the Sun, Secretary, in addition to whom there were present: E. S. Leadbeater,

Chief Engineer, D. A. Windsor. President of the Columbia Cempany, and Fire Wardens S. A Green, G. E. French and J. R. Smoot. In consequence of the absence of Dr. John-on, President of the Friendship Fire Company, Capt. Steuart, President of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company, and Fire Warden, Jas. P. Coleman, no business was transacted and the meeting adjourned till next Monday night when it will reassemble at the same hour and

POLICE HEADQUARTERS.-The only cases at police headquarters this morning were a wagoner at Fishtown, who was arrested for striking a colored man but was discharged by the Mayor as he was not in fault, and a man who, for stealing coal from the yard of the American Coal Company, was put on the chain gang for 30 days by Justice May; the cook of a vessel, who, for throwing stones in the streets, and a man named Watkins, who, for getting drunk in ten minutes after he had "sworn off" and been discharged for the same offence yesterday, were fined and discharged by the Mayor, and two men from the county who were locked up and will be fined and discharged for drunkenness as soon as they become sober enough to stand their trial.

THE MARKET this morning was well supplied. The butchers had excellent fresh meats of all kinds, at former prices. Spring vegetables are becoming more abundant. Asparagus 18 to 20 cents per bunch. Sprouts 25 cents per half peck; kale 20a25 cents per peck; lettuce 4a5 cents per head. Eggs 20 cents per doz. Butter (fresh) 50 cents per lb; radishes 5 cents per banch. Some green pens from the South have been brought to market. The fish benches had good fresh shad and herring-the former at 50 cents per pair. Poultry is scarce and high. The rainy weather kept back many persons from the country.

LAND OF THE BIBLE. - The lecture last night at the Baptist Church on the La .d of the Bible was delivered according to notice, to an intelliweather, which prevented many from attending large audience. Prof. Mason has evident ly studied the subject with great care and his delivery is fluent and pleasing. Altogether the address was an entire success and we congratulate the Professor as well as his appreciative

COAL TRADE. - The receipts of coal by the canal from Cumberland for the week ending to-day have been as follows; by the American Coal Company 3,707 tons; by J. P. Agnew ,800 tons; by the Baltimore and Hampshire Coal Company 1,605 tons. The shipments during the same period have been; by the American Coal Company 5,259 tons, and by J. P. Agnew 2,720 tons.

RELIEF HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY. -A regular monthly meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company was held at their truck house last night, R. M. Latham in the chair, and H. Swain secretary. But little business of importance was transacted, further than instructing the secretary to notify all delinquent members that they must make a settlement by the 1st of June.

FILLING UP THE CHANNEL.-It is understood that certain parties from Washington are filling up the channel of the Potomac between here and that city by dumping out the cargoes of mud scows along-side of buoy No. 3, opposite

SOUTHERN CLAIMS COMMISSION .- For the convenience of such witnesses as reside nearer to Washington or to Georgetown than to Alexandria, Special Commissioner A. W. Chilton, of the latter place, has been authorized to take testimony in the District of Columbia.

PROPERTY SALE.-The brick dwelling and lot, lately the residence of Mrs. Lucy L. Turner, deceased, on Oronco street, near Washington, was sold to-day by F. A. Kerby, auctioneer, to Col. Richard Bland Lee, for \$6,000.

ZC" NOMINATION FOR MAYOR.-The Third Ward takes pleasure in presenting Doctor J. B. Johnson for Mayor as the proper man to give tone, energy and firmness to our party. knows the rights of the people, and has always dared to maintain and vindicate them, and he has not only the intelligence to generate a public good, but the moral courage to rebuke and resist a had official example. THIRD WARD.

my 3-2t NEW GOODS.

We call the attention of our lady patrons to

the goods just received: A fine line of DRESS GOODS, consisting in part of-Alpaces; Japanese Fabries; Japanese Silks; French Striped Silks; Black Silk; Black Silk for lining purposes; Linen for Ladies' Suitings, new shades; Persian Stripes Victoria Lawn,

very new; superior French Black Grenadines; Medium do ; Lower do. Some of these goods are offered for less than east to import.

Linen Drills. Linen Sheetings, 10-4 and 11-4 goods.

Linen for Boys. An unusually pretty assortment of Calicoes, Lawns, Cambries and Percales.

A full line of Cottons, 4 4, 5-4, 6 4, 8-4, 10-4 and 11-4.

Lace Shawls, real Llama. Lace Sacques, real Llaina.

Silk Parasols, shades. Silk Umbrellas, do. I respectfully submit our large stock to a very close inspection. J. M. STEWART. my 3

POBERT F. KNOX,

AUCTION EER, OFFICE-NO. 41 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

I am prepared to attend to all auction sales entrusted to me, and respectfully solicit a portion of the public patronage. My office is at the Feed Store of Knox & Er-

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Fraud and Corruption.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 3.-Captain Tucker, of the ship North America, makes an affidavit that United State Commissioner Duncan made out a bogus list of a crew for his ship, in order to clear her through the Custom House, in order that he (Duncan) could collect the fees. An investigation into the affairs of the Shipping Commissioner's office shows that every officer is a relative of Dunean, and that they are connected with a Savings Bank in which they prevail on the sailors to deposit their money, charging them exhorbitantly for rates of exchange, and that they also are part owners of a clothing store on which they give or ders to sailors for clothes, and in many other ways gain emoluments at the expense of the sailors.

From Spain.

MADRID, May 3.-It is reported that Gen eral Varlarde will resign his command in the army if General Nouvillas accepts the min-

istry of war. The order recently issued by Gen. Velarde directing the inhabitants of the country districts infested by Carlists to abandon their farms and retire into the cities with their provisions meets with strong opposition from the people interested, and is likely to cause an uprising. The government has been asked to nullify the order and thus remove the cause for any hestile demonstration on the part of the peasants.

Fire in Boston. Boston, May 3, -- A fire broke out early this morning in the steam planing mill of J. F. Keating & Co., 197 Portland street. Messrs. Keating's loss, including 25,000 feet of lumber, is estimated at \$25,000; insured for \$20,000. The fire spread to the adjoining building occupied by Bowers, carpenter and builder, whose loss is \$5,000; Randall Bros., cabinet makers loss is \$6,500; William A. Homes & Co., grocers, lose \$4,000; D. J. Butler, wholesale iquor dealer, loses \$3,000, and L. C. Durkee, wholesale liquor dealer, loses \$5,000. The buildings burned were valued at \$25,000. total loss is \$75,000 to \$80,000.

The Atlantic Cables.

LONDON, May 3.-The steamer Hibernia has been chartered for Monday to repair the French cable. The Great Eastern and Edintent. The Great Eastern will then return to repair the broken Auglo-American cable, and the Edinburgh will proceed to lay two new cables between Valentia, Newfoundland and Sydney, Cape Breton. It is expected that two new cables will be working across the Atlantic and across the Gulf of St. Lawrence before the 1st of September.

Minister De Long.

NEW YORK, May 3.-The Tribune charges that Minister De Long has slandered the Japanese Government by not residing at its Capital, falsely alleging that his life is in danger there. He presented and had paid by the Japanese Government unjust claims of private American citizens. He urged upon that Government the appointment of a notorious Coolie trader to a responsible position. He has been a virtual protector and defender of Coolie traffic, and has maintained sympathetic relations with the extinct administration of the Tycoons which is in antagonism to the existing Japanese Gov- city, in the penitentiary; Peter George, Newernment.

From Vienna.

LONDON, May 3.-A dispatch from Vienna to the Daily News says: The Emperor of Austria gave a grand banquet last night at the Palace. Among the guests were all the native and foreign Princes now in Vienna, and Hon. John Jay, United States Minister.

The newly appointed American Commissioners are actively working to get a department of the Exposition assigned to the United States in complete order at an early day.

Civil Rights.

NEW YORK, May 3 .-- A Washington dispatch says William Smith "colored" Assistant Librarian of the House of Representatives is about to bring suit against the Georgia Central Railroad for ejecting him from a first class to a second-class car, while on a recent trip between Augusta and Savannah in company with Representative Hooper of Massachusetts.

Stolen Property Recovered.

NEW YORK, May 3.-The \$6,000 load of furniture stolen in the streets on Thusday was recovered last night by the police, and a notorious Tenth street gang of robbers were arrested in possession thereof. Besides the furniture there were \$6,000 worth of lace curtains and jewelry in several trunks which the robbers had not discovered when arrested.

The Vienna Commissioners.

that one of the jobs in connection with the removed American Commissioners, was the American Restaurant, for the privilege of running the rite of confirmation in the Catholic chapel which, Commissioner Meyer was paid \$2,000, and was to have five per cent. of the receipts. The same letter in the Tribune says Van Buren has given Meyer a whitewashing certificate.

Retiring Officer and His Successor. HALIFAX, May 3. - A dispatch states that Sir Charles H. Doyle the retiring Commander of the British forces of Canada received several ovations there yesterday. General O'Grady We he O'Haly is on board a ship below Halifax, and over. will arrive to day as Doyle's successor.

Grand Review and Illumination.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3. - Fifty thousand Russian troops stationed in and near this city were reviewed yesterday afternoon by the Eurperor of Germany and Czar of Russia. Last or of the imperial visitors.

Effect of an Earthquake. NEW YORK, May 3 .- A letter from British

Fort Shepherd together in such a manner as to form a perfect bridge across. The Bible in the Schools. NEW YORK, May 3.-The Board of Educa tion in Jersey City endorsed the action of the

principle of public schools in enforcing the rule relative to reading of the Bible at the

opening of school.

former.

Suit Declded. NEW YORK, May 3.-In the suit of the First National Bank of Iowa against the Ocean Bank of this city to recover \$53,000, a decision was rendered last night in favor of the

Committed. NEW YORK, May 3 .- Arhardt, who killed John Morris the fireman at Melrose, West chester aounty, has been committed for the action of the grand jury under a verdict of the coroner's jury.

Poisoned.

aged 75, died last evening at Marshalltown from arsenic. He eat some meat which had been poisoned to kill rats and left on the kitchen table, thinking the arsenic was flour.

Destroyed by Fire.

Poughkeepsie, May 3.—The passenger station at Livingston, on the Hudson River Railroad, together with a house, sheds and a new store were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

Exaggerated Report.

LONDON, May 3.-The first report that a number of persons were killed and injured by an accident last night to a railway train from London for Chester, was exaggerated.

Death of an Aged Citizen. TRENTON, May 3.-Liscomb R. Titus, an aged and prominent citizen, died suddenly while returning from market.

The Weather in England. LONDON, May 3.-The weather in England to-day is fair and favorable to crops.

Bulter Club.

BOSTON, May 3:- A Bulter campaign club was organized last night in ward 2.

> Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT,

OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, May 3, 11 a. m. Probabilities .- For the Middle Atlantic States generally rising barometer, northeasterly to northwesterly winds, lower temperature, cloudy and rainy weather; generally clearing for Sunday. For New England and Canada and the lower Lakes northeasterly to northwesterly winds, cloudy and rainy weather and lower temperature. For the upper Lake region and Northwest to Tennessee and Arkansas rising barometer, low temperature, northerly and northwesterly winds and generally clearing weather. For the Gulf and South Atlantic States, generally clear cool, weather northwestly winds and rising barometer.

Cautionary signals continue at Duluth, Chicago, Milwaukie, Grand Haven, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Buffalo, Rochester, Oswego, Eastport, Portland, Me., Boston, Wood's Hole, New London, New Haven, New York, Cape May and Baltimore.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, May 3. - Stocks active and weak. Gold steady at 16%. Money firm at 1 16 to 1 per ct. Flour quiet and easy. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn dult and nominal.

BALTIMORE, May 3.-Va. sixes, old, 45; do. consolidated, 52%. West Va.sixes 131 bid to-day. Cotton dull; low middlings 18a18\$. Flour dull burgh will leave the latter part of this month and unchanged. Wheat quiet and steady, and to lay a cable from Valentia to Heart's Con- prices unchanged. Corn dull; white Southern 68; vellow do. 64; mixed Western 64a641. Oats firm; Southern 52a54; Western mixed 47a50; do. white 51a53. Rye quiet and steady at 85a 100. Hay unchanged. Provisions firmer all round.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

An old fellow from Washington dressed in he uniform of the old continental troops attracted a large crowd at the corner of King and Royal streets to-day, by his description of the 'Matrimonial Union Promoter," a book for the sale of which he is the agent.

The attention of the Superintendent of Po ice is directed to the condition of King street, between Union and the head of the dock, where the mud has accumulated to the depth of several inches, and in such weather as has lately prevailed is exceeding disagreeable. Jailor Cline, who has just returned from

ton Smith, Bill Claggett, colored, and James best that can be procured, and the gentlemen Boswell, George Jarboe, - Austin, and John Doyle as well and anxious to get out. The Board of Aldermen met last night pur-

uant to a call, but owing to the absence, on ac-

nance Committee, adjourned without transact-The four Fire Wardens; Messrs. George E. French, S. A. Green, J. R. Smoot and J. P. Coleman, took the required oath of office be-

fore K. Kemper, notary public, last night, in accordance with law. It is understood that some of the Masonic Fraternity who were present at Mr. Mason's address last evening are talking about securing from him, sometime, a lecture on Solomon's

Temple exclusively. The ladies of Grace Church, wishing to complete their church, propose holding a festival at the Assembly rooms on Thursday night next May, Sth. Any donations will be thankfully re-

From to-morrow night trains on the W. C. V. M. & G. S. R. R. will leave the foot of King street at 7:50 a. m. and 7:50 p. m. and

arrive at 11:10 a. m. and 5:50 p. m. M. Reuben has been summoned as a juror at the term of the U. S. District Court to commence in Norfolk next Tuesday, in addition to these from the city heretofore mentioned.

Rev. Mr. Ryland will make a memorial address at Woodlawn Church, near Mt. Vernon, NEW YORK, May 3 .- A Vienna letter states to-morrow. There will be an all-day meeting, with dinner on the grounds.

> Bishop Gibbons of this diocese will perform at Fairfax station to-morrow. As will be seen by a card in another column

"Third Ward." Another dog supposed to be mad was shot and killed at the residence of the Superintendent

Dr. J. B. Johnson is nominated for Mayor by

of Police this morning. This is called the "rainy season," in May. We hope the rainy season, for the present is

Mr. C. O. White. formerly of this place, has opened the Opera House in Memphis, Tenn.

RAILROAD CHANGES .- Col. P. P. Slaugher, who has been the agent of the Orange road at this place for some years, has been transferred to the Gordonsville office and Mr. evening St. Petersburg was illuminated in hon- H. M. Patton, for some time past clerk in the Alexandria office, has been appointed to the office in this place. Col. Slaughter carries with him the best wishes of a host of personal friends. Mr. Patton is an affable, genial gen-Columbia states that the recent earthquake tleman, and will make an efficient and popular threw the banks of the Columbia River near agent.-Picdmont Virginian.

The Annual Meeting of the Commercial Exchange will be held on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 10 a.m. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at that time.

my 1-td Geo. H. Robinson, Prest. CARPET CHAIN, all colors, and COTTON YARN, all Nos., just received by WM. N. BERKLEY,

64 King street. GREY HAIR A SPECIALTY

GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, At from 25 to 50 per cent under New York or Washington city prices. COSTAR'S BED BUG EXTERMINATOR, an infallible destroyer of this most obnox-

ious species of vermin. A fresh supply just received. Price 25c. WARFIELD & HALL.

BASS & CO'S. PALE ALE, R. Youger's Scotch do., and Barclay & Perkins' and E. & G. Hibbert's Brown Stout, for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

Westchester, Pa. May 3.—Amos Scott, ged 75, died last evening at Marshalltown rom arsenic. He eat some meat which had roman are some meat which had ways in store and for sale at 147 King street ways in store and for sale at 147 King street W. F. BROOKES & BRO. ap 25 POTOMAC FAMILY ROE HERRING in store and for sale by
W. F. BROOKES & BRO.,
my 1 147 King street.

GIFT CONCERTS.

LIBRARY GIFT CONCERT

NINETY DAYS' POSTPONEMENT.

A FULL DRAWING CERTAIN. \$500,000 IN BANK TO PAY GIFTS.

\$10,000 CASH GIFTS PAID IN FULL.

\$100,000 FOR ONLY TEN DOLLARS.

ENOUGH of the 100,000 tickets issued for the THIRD GRAND GIFT CONCERT, in aid of the Public Library of Kentucky, having been sold to insure a full drawing, and the wish having been universally expressed that the 10,000 cash gifts offered should be drawn in full and paid in full without any scaling down, as heretofore, the management, with the concur-rence of the trustees, have determined to allow ninety days more for the sale of the remnant of tickets left on hand. The concert and distribution advertised for April 8 is therefore postponed to Tuesday, July 8, 1873, on which day, and no other, they will positively and unequivocally take place in Public Library Hall, Louisville, Kentucky.

At this grand concert the following each gifts will be distributed by lot and paid in full to the ticket-holders who draw them:

LIST OF GIFTS. One Grand Cash Gift One Grand Cash Gift..... One Grand Cash Gift..... One Grand Cash Gift One Grand Cash Gift. 10 (KK) One Grand Cash Gift.

24 Cash Gifts of \$1,000 each....

50 Cash Gifts of 500 each....

80 Cash Gifts of 400 each.... 5.(XX) 24 (100) 4(x) each 32,000 100 Cash Gifts of 300 each...... 30 OXX 150 Cash Gifts of 200 each..... 30,000 100 each..... 590 Cash Gifts of 10 each 0,000 Cash Gifts of

Total, 10,000 Gifts, all Cash......\$500,000 The money to pay all these gifts in full is now upon deposit in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, and set aside for that purpose, and can only be used for that purpose, as will be seen by the following certificate of the Cashier: Office of Farmers' and Drovers' Bank,)

Louisville, Ky., April 7, 1873. This is to certify that there is in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank to the credit of the Third Grand Gift Concert, for the benefit of the Public Library of Kentucky, five hundred thousand dollars, which has been set apart by the managers to pay the gifts in full, and will be held by the bank and paid out for this purpose, and this R. S. VEECH, Cashier. purpose only.

The party, therefore, who holds the ticket drawing the capital gift will get \$100,000 in greenbacks, and so of the \$50,000 gift, the \$25,000, the \$20,000, the \$5,000, and all the other gifts, 10,000 in number, amounting to The remnant of unsold tickets will be furnished to those who first apply (orders accompanied

by the money always having preference over agents) at the following prices: Whole tickets, \$10; halves, \$5, and quarters, \$2.50; 11 whole tickets for \$100, 56 for \$500, 113 for \$1,000, and 575 for \$5,000. No discount on less than \$100 worth of rights at a time. worth of tickets at a time. The concert and distribution of gifts will begin at 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning, July 8th in Public Library Hall, and the following will be the order of proceedings: 1st. Music by orches tral band. 2d. Placing of tags (one for each ticket sold) in large wheel. 3d. Placing of giftin small wheel. 4th. Music by orchestral band.

5th. Explanatory remarks by President, 6th. Drawing of first half of gifts. 7th. Music by orchestral band. 8th. Drawing of last half of gifts. 9th. Placing of large wheel with tags in hands Richmond, reports all the convicts from this city, in the penitentiary; Peter George, Newwho count and place the tags and gifts in the wheels and superintend the drawing and keep the record of the drawn numbers will be chosen

from the best known and most trustworthy cici-

zens of the State. All will be so conducted as count of sickness, of the Chairman of the Fi- to be a perfect guaranty against complaint from any just source. The payment of gifts will begin on Saturday, July 12, at 9 o'clock a.m. Tickets drawing gitts must be presented at room No. 4 Public Library Building, where cash checks upon the Farmers and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, or sight drafts upon the Fourth National Bank of New York, at the option of the holder, will be given for the trekets. All gifts not called for in six months

from the drawing will be turned over to the Public Library fund. For full particulars send for circulars. THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Agt. Pub. Lib. of Kentucky, ap 26-co&twwtJyl Louisville, Kentucky.

AMUSEMENTS. A GRAND VOCAL AND INSTRUMENT-AL CONCERT, Under the direction of Prof. EVANS, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ALEXAN-

DRIA LIBRARY,
Will be given at SAREPTA HALL, On Tuesday Evening, May 6.

The enviable position won by the Professor as a conductor, together with his well known taste in the selection and a laptation of music to pro-

for a pleasant evening's entertainment.

Professor HEYMAN, so long and favorably known as an accomplished musician, will preside at the piano. By special invitation, the musical talent of the

duce the finest effects, is a sufficient guarantee

city will assist in rendering the choice selection of Choruses, Quartettes, Duets and Solos, selected for the occasion.

The interest of the entertainment will be greatly enhanced by the addition of an efficient or-

Admission 50c. Tuckets for sale at French's Book and Becker's Music Stores, and by the Board of Directors of the Library Co. [ap29-7t

FOR SALE OR RENT. FOR SALE .- A two-story FRAME DWELLING, front building new, situated on Fairfax street, between Gibbon and Wilkes, east side. The lot has a front of 20 feet and a depth of 125 feet 5 inches. Will be sold low. Enquire on the premises. ap 24-eo2w SUSAN LITTLEFIELD.

FOR RENT-The two-story BRICK HOUSE on the west side of Water street, between Gibbon and Franklin. Apply at the ap 19-tf Gazette office.

FOR RENT OR SALE-The OFFICE adjoining the Gazette office. Possession given on the 1st of May. Apply to HARRISON JAnp 5-1f COBS, next door. FOR RENT-The THREE-STORY FOR RENT-The THREE-STORY
BRICK HOUSE No. 46 south Washington

street. Possession given at once. Apply to E. J. LLOYD, 134 Queen st. BRICK DWELLING FOR RENT-The BRICK DWELLING FOR REAL ING Brick Dwelling No. 42 south Washington street, near the corner of Duke. Possession given 1st of April. Apply to GREEN & WISE, mh 19-cotf mh 19-cotf Real Estate Agents.

STOREHOUSE, ON KING STREET,
FOR RENT.
The large store house No. 15 King street, now occupied by Beckham, Delaplane & Co., will be for rent after the 25th of February. This is thought to be one of the best stands in the city for a grocery or commission business. Apply to No. 62 King street.

ROBERT L. WOOD. BRANCH OFFICE OF THE RICHMOND STEAM DYE WORKS, Richmond, Va. Mrs. B. DREIFUS, Agent for Alexandria, No. Mrs. B. DREIFUS, Agent for Alexandria, No. 100 King street. Our agent will receive and deliver all kinds of DYEING and CLEANING of GENTS' and LADIES' GARMENTS. No charge for expressage. Call for particulars at our office, No. 100 King street.

Mrs. B. DREIFUS, Agent. mh 24-3m D. H. BLASCOW, Prop.

NOTICE TO PERSONS WHO HAVE NOT PAID THEIR TAXES FOR 1869 AND '70 .- The money still due on the above years for State and County taxes is so large that necessity requires immediate payment. All persons who will not attend to this notice may have to pay the costs; also that interest will be

ap 29-eo2w Sheriff Alexandria co., Va.